




**The Senate
Office of the President**

STATE CAPITOL
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

July 2, 2019

To: All Senate Members

Re: Potential Override Session

From:  Senate President Ronald D. Kouchi

On July 2, 2019, at our Majority Caucus to discuss the potential of convening an override session, eleven bills were identified as having some interest to be considered to be on the agenda of an override session. These bills are: HB 629, HB 748, HB 1133, HB 290, SB 33, SB 92, SB 301, SB 551, SB 1353, SB 1405 and SB 1459. While the list of eleven bills was assembled, there was no indication that any said bill had the requisite number of votes to override Governor Ige's veto. Additionally, all members were not present in the Majority Caucus, including Minority Leader Senator Kurt Fevella. This means that the list of eleven bills may be increased if non-attending members seek to consider other bills for potential override consideration.

In light of the requirement that the Legislature must convene before noon on July 9, 2019, (next week Tuesday), and in order to prepare to discuss this matter with Speaker Saiki, it is imperative to determine if there are seventeen members who would vote to override a specific vetoed measure.

Please provide me with your list by noon tomorrow, July 3, 2019 and if you would be in attendance for said override veto session.

Thank you for your efforts and if there are any questions with regard to the foregoing, please do not hesitate to contact me.